

Australia, Israel, Asia & Hong Kong

Venue: Block 5 Playground

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| 1 Blue Mountains International Hotel Management School* | 13 National University of Singapore | 25 HKUST |
| 2 CQ University Australia** | 14 Seoul National University | 26 Hong Kong Baptist University* |
| 3 ICHM - International College of Hotel Management** | 15 Yonsei University | 27 Savannah College of Art and Design** |
| 4 International College of Management Sydney** | 16 Institute for Tourism Studies - IFT* | 28 The Chinese University of Hong Kong* |
| 5 Monash University | 17 University of Saint Joseph** | 29 Tung Wah College |
| 6 The University of Queensland | 18 Macau University of Science and Technology | 30 The Hong Kong Polytechnic University* |
| 7 The University of Sydney | 19 Nagoya University | 31 Pearson Qualifications/Edexcel/BTEC |
| 8 University of Melbourne | 20 Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University** | 32 Yew Chung Community College** |
| 9 UNSW Australia (The University of New South Wales) | 21 Temple University – Japan Campus | 33 The University of Hong Kong* |
| 10 Technion | 22 Waseda University | 34 University of Nottingham, Malaysia |
| 11 INTO China** | 23 Centennial College* | |
| 12 University of Nottingham, Ningbo China** | 24 City University of Hong Kong** | |

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Entrance

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Sample Questions

About the university

- Can you describe the atmosphere at your university?
- What are the strengths of your university?
- What is the major difference of this university compared to.....?
- What percentage of international students are there at the university?
- What is unique about this university?
- Why do you think students choose to go to your university (their feedback)?
- What is the staff-student ratio?
- Does the university have strong industry links, ie. Will it help me find a job?
- What in your view makes a strong application?
- If I have the opportunity to visit your university, how do I arrange a campus tour?

Courses

- I am interested in a career in _____ can you tell me about the range of courses you have on offer that I could do to follow my desired career path?
- What subjects and grade requirements are there for this course?
- I am not sure what I want to study yet but I like _____ (subjects) at school. What would you recommend?
- Do your courses involve internships?
- Is it possible to study at other universities (exchange) as a part of the course?
- What career paths are possible for _____ course?
- What do you recommend as other options if I do not achieve the grades required for the course?
- What teaching methods are used in this course?
- How will I be assessed in this course?
- What electives are available in this course?

Student Services

- Do you network international students and/or provide support for them?
- I am interested in _____ (sports/activities), is this available?
- How do I find out about clubs and societies available?
- Can you tell me about student accommodation facilities? How do I go about securing accommodation?
- What sport/music/performing arts facilities are there?
- Do you have part time jobs available on campus?
- Is there support for learning difficulties?
- Can you tell me about your library facilities?
- What transportation is available to and from the university?

General

- Do you have summer programmes – what are they and how can I find out more?
- What scholarships are available for international students? How do I apply?
- What does it cost (fees + accommodation) to study course?
- (UK specific) How do you assess home status? What is the procedure?
- What if I want to take a gap year – Is this allowed/encouraged? If so, what should I do?
- Can you explain what is required to make an application to your university?



ESF University Fair 2016

Over 150 participating universities from the UK, USA, Australia, Canada, Middle East, Hong Kong, Europe and Asia.



Wednesday January 20 2016
Island School
Borrett Road Hong Kong

INSPIRING FUTURES

Dear Students, Parents, Higher Education Counsellors and University Representatives,

It is a great pleasure to welcome you all to the ESF University Fair 2016. A fair of 150 institutions across the world is tribute to Island School who work tirelessly on behalf of nearly 1200 Year 12 students from seven ESF schools. ESF has a vision to inspire futures, whether they are on IB Diploma Pathway, the Applied Learning Pathway or the Work and Lifeskills Pathway. All students are valued and through their counsellors will continue to be prepared over the next few months for their applications. Today's Fair is a key stepping stone on that journey.

For students and their parents, today is about research, about exploring opportunities for the future. Today is also a vehicle for reflecting on their passions, their skills and their ambitions, not only for the next stage of education but also their careers beyond. ESF prides itself on the diverse range of aspirations, reflected in the broad range of subjects that students choose. The questions that will be asked should be medium and long term about graduation from the institutions as well as short term related to applications. ESF would like to pay tribute to all Higher Education Counsellors and all staff who coach, mentor and advise students. Applications to universities and colleges are a very important part of an ESF education. It is an educational journey for a student; a journey of exploration, decision-making and commitment. For many it may be the first time they have applied formally for a position. We know this won't be the last, so it is an important stage contributing to a student's lifelong learning.

For university representatives, we thank you for coming today to advocate for your institution. The ESF Higher Education Counsellors really value the partnerships between our schools and your institutions. We welcome the academic visits you make to our schools, the personal approach and the recognition that our students have a great deal to offer your classes of 2017 [or 2018 for Australasia and gap year students]. We know and trust that you appreciate how internationally educated students have a lot to offer campuses across the world, as they add to the diversity and richness of perspectives both within classes and in the student life that is created when you bring young people together from a range of cultures and places. We also value the support you give international school students, many of whom will study more than 5000 -10000 km from home. And for the Alumni amongst us, students and parents value the connections you bring so that if you know other appropriate alumni in your network, please let our students know, this can make a difference.

May I wish you all good fortune in the Year of the Monkey in a few weeks time.

Chris Durbin
School Development Adviser
English Schools Foundation

Important Details

Location: The Fair will be at Island School, 20 Borrett Road, Hong Kong. Parents are most welcome.

Timing: Due to the number of students involved there will be three 1.5 hour slots. Students must attend in the allocated timeslot for their school. Timing is as follows:

- 1:30pm-3pm – Island School, South Island School, Discovery College
- 2:30pm-4pm – Renaissance College and King George V School
- 3:30pm-5pm – Sha Tin College and West Island School

Transport: Each school will arrange transport for students to and from the fair. Please follow the instructions from your school. Parents attending – please use public transport as there will be no parking available.

What to bring: This guide, your research and questions, something easily portable to take notes on (pen and paper, your phone or iPad etc).

Legend for Universities

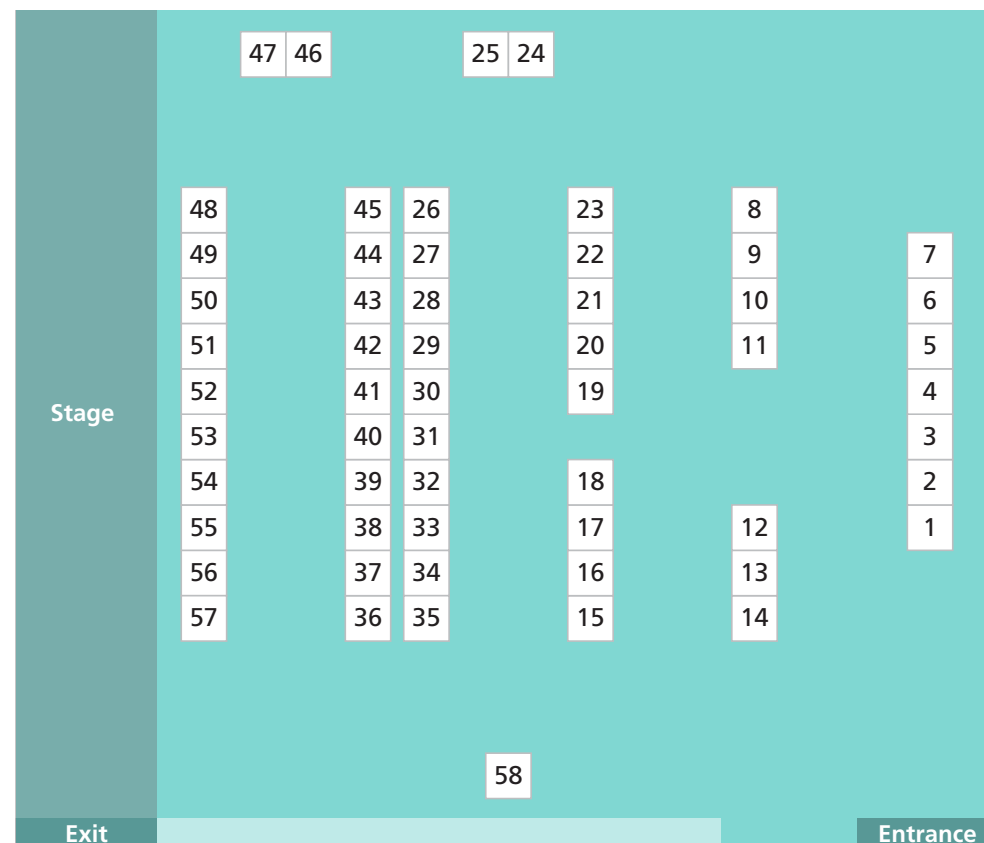
All participating universities accept the IB Diploma as an entry requirement. The universities with the following symbols accept these alternate entry requirements :

- * Applied Learning Pathway / BTEC Level 3
- # IB Certificates

Canada, Europe & USA

Venue: Main Hall

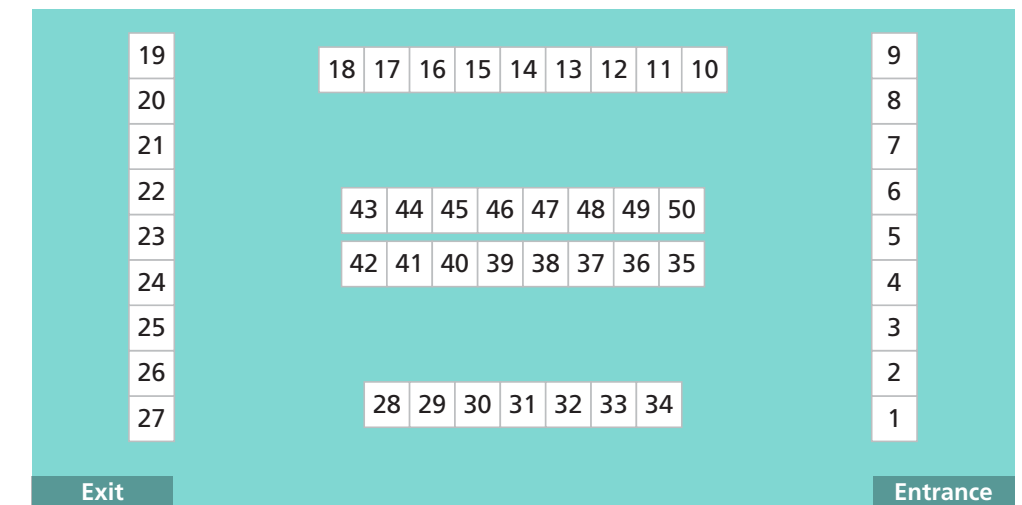
1 Bishop's University*	19 Swiss Education Group*	40 Occidental College**
2 Fraser International College**	20 WHU - Otto Beisheim School of Management	41 University of Pennsylvania
3 Simon Fraser University	21 Arizona State University#	42 Princeton University
4 Queen's University*	22 Boston University	43 Purdue University
5 University of Waterloo**	23 College of Saint Benedict and Saint John's University**	44 Sarah Lawrence College**
6 The University of British Columbia	24 Columbia University	45 Sewanee: The University of the South
7 U.S. Consulate General	25 Cornell University	46 Swarthmore College#
8 SSTH	26 Creighton University **	47 Trinity College#
9 Bocconi University	27 Denison University#	48 Tufts University
10 Ecole hôtelière de Lausanne*	28 Dickinson College#	49 University of California, Berkeley
11 ESSEC Business School**	29 Duke University#	50 University of California, Irvine#
12 Glion Institute of Higher Education**	30 Kendall College**	51 UCLA#
13 Hotelschool The Hague, Hospitality Business University*	31 Kenyon College#	52 University of Vermont**
14 IE UNIVERSITY	32 Lawrence University#	53 Valparaiso University**
15 IESEG School of Management**	33 University of Michigan	54 Washington University in St. Louis
16 ISIT**	34 Middlebury College#	55 Wellesley College
17 Jacobs University (Germany)	35 Mount Holyoke College	56 Wesleyan University#
18 Les Roches International School of Hotel Management**	36 New York Film Academy**	57 Worcester Polytechnic Institute**
	37 New York University**	58 Yale University
	38 Northwestern University#	
	39 University of Notre Dame	



United Kingdom & Ireland (England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, Ireland)

Venue: Sports Hall

1 University of Aberdeen**	20 INTO University Partnerships**	35 Queen's University Belfast**
2 Aberystwyth University#	21 Galway Moyo Institute of Technology**	36 University of Reading*
3 Anglia Ruskin University	22 University of Glasgow*	37 Regent's University London**
4 Aston Univeristy	23 Goldsmiths, University of London**	38 Royal Holloway, University of London*
5 University of Bath	24 Hartpury College and University Centre**	39 Royal Veterinary College (RVC), University of London*
6 University of Brighton**	25 University of Hull**	40 Sheffield Hallam University
7 University of Bristol**	26 Leeds Beckett University**	41 SOAS, University of London
8 BPP University, London**	27 University of Leicester*	42 University of Southampton**
9 Brunel University London*	28 Liverpool Hope University**	43 University of St Andrews**
10 The University of Buckingham	29 The University of Manchester**	44 St George's, University of London Medical School
11 Cardiff University*	30 Manchester Metropolitan University**	45 University of Stirling**
12 University of Chichester*	31 New College of the Humanities, London#	46 University of Strathclyde Glasgow*
13 City University London*	32 Nottingham Trent University**	47 Swansea University*
14 Coventry University*	33 University of Portsmouth**	48 Trinity College Dublin
15 De Montfort University**	34 Queen Mary University of London**	49 University of York*
16 University of Dundee		50 UWE Bristol
17 Edge Hill University**		
18 University of Essex**		
19 University of Exeter*		



United Kingdom

Venue: Lower Drama Studio

1 University of Birmingham	12 UCL
2 Durham University	13 University of Surrey*
3 University of East Anglia*	14 University of Sussex
4 University of Kent**	15 University of Warwick
5 University of Leeds	16 Falmouth University**
6 University of Liverpool**	17 Leeds College of Arts**
7 University of Loughborough*	18 Leeds College of Music**
8 Newcastle University**	19 University for the Creative Arts**
9 The University of Nottingham**	20 University of the Arts London**
10 Oxford Brookes University**	21 British Council
11 The University of Sheffield*	22 UCAS

